ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 1, 1948, from Highlands, Tex.

PRODUCT: 149 cases, each containing 48 15½-ounce cans, of black-eyed peas at Florence, Ala.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance. (Examination showed that the product in some of the cans was decomposed.) The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: July 5, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

16337. Adulteration of yellow split peas and whole green peas. U. S. v. 29 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 29054. Sample Nos. 80944-K, 80945-K.)

LIBEL FILED: April 10, 1950, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 25, 1948, and February 24, 1949, from Chicago, Ill., and Palouse, Wash.

PRODUCT: 29 100-pound bags of yellow split peas and 50 100-pound bags of whole green peas at Philadelphia, Pa., in the possession of the Pennsylvania Warehouse & Safe Deposit Co.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of rodent urine; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been held under insanitary conditions whereby they may have become contaminated with filth. The products were adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

Disposition: June 28, 1950. The H. C. Knoke Co., Chicago, Ill., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the products be released under bond, to be denatured under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration, so that they could not be disposed of for human consumption.

16338. Adulteration of corn husks. U. S. v. 7 Cartons * * * (F. D. C. No. 28933. Sample No. 49592-K.)

LIBEL FILED: March 30, 1950, District of Colorado.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 9, 1949, by the XLNT Spanish Food Co., from Los Angeles, Calif.

PRODUCT: 7 50-pound cartons of corn husks at Denver, Colo.

LABEL, IN PART: "XLNT Select Grade Corn Husks."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect parts and insect excreta.

DISPOSITION: June 9, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

16339. Adulteration of corn husks. U. S. v. 6 Bales * * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29099. Sample No. 75196-K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 12, 1950, District of New Mexico.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 26, 1949, by Casuas Brothers, from Los Angeles, Calif.

Product: 6 50-pound bales of corn husks at Albuquerque, N. Mex.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of worm-infested corn husks.

DISPOSITION: June 15, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.